

E-HAPPENINGS

WESTERN NEVADA COMMUNITY COLLEGE

December 4-10, 2006

NEWS

Western Earns Approval for First Bachelor's Degree

The college has been approved to offer its first bachelor's degree, following a unanimous vote Friday by the Nevada System of Higher Education Board of Regents. Perhaps as early as fall 2007, a Bachelor of Technology degree program in Construction Management will begin for those seeking a career or looking to advance in the construction industry.

The college will now ask permission from its accrediting agency, the Northwest Association on Colleges and Universities, to expand its mission to include bachelor's degrees as well as associate degrees and certificates of achievement.

The 128-credit program is designed to attract and retain new students as well as skilled workers, and provide an educational route toward a career as a construction manager.

<http://www.wncc.edu/news/2006-12-01b.php>

EVENTS

Fallon Students to Present Music Recital

Tuesday, Dec. 5, 7 p.m.

Churchill County High School Theater

Admission: Free

Info: 775-423-7565

Guitar and piano classes, as well as a choral ensemble, will perform at this semester-end recital. Complimentary refreshments will be provided.

Don't Miss Winter Wonderland Employee Potluck Celebration

Friday, Dec. 8, Noon

WNCC Carson City, Bristlecone Student Lounge

Info: 775-445-4468

All college employees are invited to WNCC's annual potluck featuring great food, a snowflake ornament judging contest, pictures, and fun. While there, pick up an angel tree tag and buy a gift for a needy child.



Kick Off Holiday Season with Free Concert

Tuesday, Dec. 12, 7:30 p.m.

WNCC Carson City, Marlette Hall

Admission: Free

Info: 775-445-4250

Join in the holiday spirit with a free choral concert by the WNCC Concert Choir. The choir will perform traditional carols and some new selections.

<http://www.wncc.edu/news/2006-11-28b.php>

IN THE ARTS

WNMTC Opens Season Ticket Sales for 2007 Season

The Western Nevada Musical Theatre Company is now selling its Spotlight on Broadway 2007 season tickets, offering holiday shoppers economical season ticket packages for a year of great entertainment.

<http://www.wncc.edu/news/2006-11-28c.php>



Meet Student Artists and Connie Peng at Reception



Thursday, Dec. 7, 4:30-6:30 p.m.

WNCC Carson City, Art Galleries

Info: 775-445-3000

Advanced Digital Photography students will celebrate their "Visions" exhibit at an artists reception. Connie Peng will also be on hand for "Current Works". Both exhibits will be on display through January 12.

Gallery schedule:

<http://www.wncc.edu/news/gallery/>

COLLEGE CORNER

MEET OUR NEW BOOKSTORE MANAGER

Candy Pope, the new WNCC bookstore manager, started working at the college last week. She comes to Western from Las Vegas, where she was a district manager for Hollywood Video. Welcome!



CRANE DRAWS "PICKLES"

Brian Crane, author of the "Pickles," draws one of his comic strip characters for the audience Friday in Marlette Hall.

A good crowd was on hand for the second event of the 2007 "Faces, Voices & Stories" cultural series.

<http://www.wncc.edu/news/2006-11-03c.php>

WNCC VIDEOS NOW AVAILABLE ONLINE

A set of one-minute videos about academic programs, getting started at WNCC, and campus life are now available from a link on the home page of the college web site. Just click on <http://www.wncc.edu/videos/> to check them out!

WINCHESTER SHOWS UP IN CLASS

Kathy Lynch portrays Sarah Lockwood Winchester in "the Meeting of the Minds" Wednesday. Students chose a character from history, alive or dead, and did a 15-minute presentation on that person in Dr. Tom Kubistant's Fundamentals of Speech Communication class.



SAVE THE DATE

Friday, Dec. 15, 1-3 p.m.

"Home for the Harvest" Employee Giving Campaign Celebration for all sustaining donors to the WNCC Foundation. Drawing at 2 p.m. for an iPod.

WNCC Carson City, Main Gallery

Info: 775-445-3240

Friday, Dec. 18-Friday, Feb. 16

"Print is Print" Art Exhibit

WNCC Carson City, College Gallery

Info: 775-445-4294